

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2473

OFFERED BY *Ms. Capps*

(Page & line nos. refer to Committee Print of 6/13/03)

In section 1860D-7 of the Social Security Act (as proposed to be inserted by section 101)—

(1) amend the section heading [page 46 lines 1 and 2] to read as follows:

1   **"SEC. 1860D-7. PREMIUM AND COST-SHARING SUBSIDIES**  
2         **FOR LOW-INCOME INDIVIDUALS AND COST-**  
3         **SHARING SUBSIDIES FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH**  
4         **ALS.";**

(2) add at the end of subsection (a) [page 48, after line 25] the following:

5         "(6) COST-SHARING GAP-FILLING SUBSIDY FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH ALS.—In the case of an individual who is  
6         eligible to elect, and has elected, to obtain qualified prescription drug coverage under this part and who is described in section 226(h) (relating to individuals determined to have amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS)), the individual is entitled under this section to the substitution for the beneficiary cost-sharing described in paragraphs (2) and (3) of section 1860D-2(b), for cost-sharing (for costs above the annual deductible specified in paragraph (1) of such section and up to the annual out-of-pocket threshold specified in paragraph (4)(B) of such section) equal to 20 percent.